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SUBJECT: DISARMING OF KHAMPAS

1. SAMIKSHA, VERNACULAR WEEKLY SUBSIDIZED BY SOVIETS, CARRIED TWO ARTICLES JULY 19 ALLEGING CIA SUPPORT OF KHAMPAS. FIRST ARTICLE USED MICHEL PEISSEL'S BOOK, MUSTANG: A LOST TIBETAN KINGDOM, AS MEANS FOR INVOLVING CIA. BEGINNING BY CRITICIZING PEISSEL FOR ATTEMPTING TO GIVE IMPRESSION THAT MUSTANG IS INDEPENDENT KINGDOM, ARTICLE STATES THAT CLOSE STUDY OF BOOK WOULD SHOW THAT PEISSEL'S TOUR OF MUSTANG ARRANGED BY CIA. ARTICLE GOES ON TO STATE THAT PEISSEL PRAISES KHAMPAS AS REVOLUTIONARIES, DEMOCRATS AND FREEDOM-LOVING AND THAT WANGDI, LEADER OF KHAMPA REBELS IN NEPAL AND LINK BETWEEN KHAMPAS AND CIA, IS VIEWED AS "SUPERHUMAN" BY PEISSEL.

2. SECOND ARTICLE IN SAMIKSHA REPORTS THAT KHAMPA REFUGEES LED BY WANDGI IN MANANG HAVE REFUSED TO SURRENDER ARMS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT WITHIN DEADLINE SET BY GON AND ARE INSTEAD OFFERING RESISTANCE TO NEPALESE ARMY. ARTICLE ALLEGES THESE KHAMPAS FOLLOW ORDERS FROM GYALCHHEN THONDUP, ELDER BROTHER OF DALAI LAMA AND THAT HE IS PRESENTLY IN AMERICA, WHERE HE MAKES

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR CLANDESTINE AIRDROPPING OF ARMS, AMMUNITION

AND OTHER SUPPLIES TO KHAMRAS OF NEPAL IN CLOSE COOPERATION
WITH CIA.
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